# MESSAGE

FROM THE

President of the United States,

INCLOSING

A REPORT

OF THE

DIRECTOR *of the* MINT,

Dated the 1st January, 1802.

17*th February*, 1802.

READ, AND ORDERED TO LIE ON THE TABLE.

# REPORT.

MINT *of the* UNITED STATES,
*January* 1*st*, 1802.

SIR,

I HAVE the honor of inclosing the annual report upon the present state of the Mint, for the information of government,

And am very respectfully,

Your obedient humble servant,

ELIAS BOUDINOT.

*The* PRESIDENT *of the United States.*

Gentlemen of the Senate
and of the House of Representatives,

*I LAY before both Houses of Congress, for their information, the Report of the Director of the Mint now inclosed.*

TH: JEFFERSON.

February 17, 1802.

## To the PRESIDENT of the UNITED STATES.

*The Director of the Mint respectfully reports to the President the amount of the Coin issued from the Mint of the United States, from the 31st day of December, 1800, to the 31st day of December, 1801, inclusive, as particularised in the following abstract:*

### GOLD COINS.

| | *Eagles* | *Half Eagles* | *Dollars* | *Cents* | *Totals.* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Quarter ending 31st March, 1801, | 3558 | 8522 | 78,190 | -- | |
| Ditto 30th June, — | 2931 | 10,725 | 82,935 | -- | |
| Ditto 30th Sept. — | 11,110 | | 111,100 | -- | |
| Ditto 31st Dec. — | 11,655 | 6759 | 150,345 | -- | |
| | 29,254 | 26,006 | | | 422,570 |

### SILVER COINS.

| | *Dollars* | *Half Dollars* | *Dismes* | *Half Dismes* | *Dollars* | *Cents* | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Qr. ending 31st March, 1801, | 34,406 | | 9260 | 16,100 | 36,137 | -- | |
| Ditto 30th June, — | 8500 | | | | 8500 | -- | |
| Ditto 30th Sept. — | 10,786 | 8160 | 8120 | 3960 | 15,876 | -- | |
| Ditto 31st Dec. — | 762 | 22,129 | 17,260 | 13,850 | 14,245 | -- | |
| | 54,454 | 30,289 | 34,640 | 33,910 | | | 74,758 |

### COPPER COINS.

| | *Cents* | *Dollars* | *Cents* | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Quarter ending 30th September, 1801, | 505,000 | 5050 | | |
| Ditto 31st December, — | 857,837 | 8578 | 37 | |
| | 1,362,837 | | | |
| | | | | 13,628 37 |

Total amount of Coins issued by the Mint from 1st Jan. to the 31st Dec. 1801, *Dolls.* 510,956 37

The Director esteems it his duty to mention, that the greatest part of the gold bullion was received in ingots and lumps, imported from foreign ports, which, had it not been for the Mint, would have been exported as remittances to Europe, but has now become an addition to the current coin of the United States.

It becomes necessary for the Director again to mention, that the amount of cents issued from the Mint have long since exceeded the sum of 50,000 dollars, amounting now in the whole to 93,019$\frac{19}{100}$ dollars. The law requires that after the expiration of six calendar months from the time when there shall have been paid into the Treasury by the Director, in cents and half cents, a sum not less than 50,000 dollars, which time shall forthwith be announced by the Treasurer of the United States, in at least two newspapers published at the seat of government, no copper coin whatever, except the said cents and half cents, shall pass current in the United States. If this has been heretofore done, it has not come to the Director's knowledge.

All which is respectfully submitted to the President by his very obedient humble servant,

ELIAS BOUDINOT,
Director of the Mint.

*Mint of the United States,*
January 1st, 1802.